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#### **Election of New Members.**

Below is a list of the persons proposed for Active membership in the Chapter at this election: Preston A. Multer, Ashford, N. Y.; J. Eugene Law, Perry, Iowa; A. H. W. Norton, San Antonio, Texas; John W. Hitt, Indianapolis, Ind.; Frank Olney, Gay's Mills, Wis.; Howard P. Mitchell, Mt. Sterling, Wis.; Hawley Hall, Lewisville, Ind.; W. K. Saul, Lewisville, Ind.; David L. Savage, Salem, Iowa; Joseph Sharp, M. D., Kansas City, Mo.; J. W. Mykrantz, Ashland, Ohio; Rodney M. Avey, Cedar Falls, Iowa; Francis R. Cope, Jr., Germantown, Pa.; Paul Bartsch, Iowa City, Iowa; Virginius H.

Chase, Wady Petra, Ill.; Charles A. Ely, Perrineville, N. J.; C. D. McLouth, Muskegan, Mich.; James Savage, Buffalo, N. Y.

It is not necessary for members to vote in this election. If you have no objection to the men proposed, your silence will be taken for consent. Send all negative votes to the Secretary.

The following list of applicants for Associate Membership has gone to the Executive Council for admission:

O. A. Pfeifer, San Antonio, Texas.

W. B. Beatty, Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. Nettie S. Dean, Scranton, Pa.

C. A. Draper, Cedar Falls, Iowa.

C. C. Norton, Three Rivers, Mich.

Emerson Atkins, East Las Vegas, New Mex.

#### **Nesting of the Ground Dove.**

Mr. W. J. Dickinson of Tarpon Springs, Fla., writes: "I found three sets of Ground Dove, Oct. 19th, and one on the 22d of the same month. Davie speaks of that date as being unusual. I have come to the conclusion that they breed about that time." We should be very glad to receive original observations similar to this from every member in the Chapter. Now that another season has begun, it is hoped every one will have some item to contribute.